IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS MARSHALL DIVISION

XR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC, dba VIVATO TECHNOLOGIES,

Plaintiff,

v.

AT&T SERVICES, INC.; AT&T MOBILITY LLC; and AT&T CORP,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:23-cv-00202-JRG-RSP

LEAD CASE

VIVATO'S SUR-REPLY TO DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR PARTIAL SUMMARY JUDGMENT OF NO WRITTEN DESCRIPTION FOR THE '235 PATENT (DKT. 159)

Defendants' scant Reply (less than one page) fails to show the absence of genuine fact as to written description. Defendants' complaint that "XR does not have any evidence that a POSITA would construe XR's citations to provide written description support" ignores that the patent specification is evidence on the issue of written description. In contrast, conclusory expert testimony, such as that of Dr. Negus relied on by experts, is not. Smith v. Chrysler Grp., LLC, No. 1:15-CV-218, 2017 WL 3482174, at *1 (E.D. Tex. Aug. 14, 2017) ("conclusory statements by an expert are not competent evidence and are insufficient to support or defeat summary judgment") (quoting DeGrate v. Exec. Imprints, Inc., 261 S.W.3d 402, 410-11 (Tex. App.—Tyler 2008, no pet.). Defendants had the burden to explain why the citations cited by XR did not provide written description support. Their expert's failure to address the citations, or otherwise explain why the do

Concerning the Provisional, Defendants do not refute that their expert did not meaningfully address its contents. Defendants only assert the Provisional does not support simultaneous transmission "by the same UE" as required by the claims. Yet, as noted by XR "is it at least genuine issue of fact as to whether a POSITA would understand that the teaching [of the Provisional] would apply to two signals from the same device." Opp'n at 6. The failure of Defendants and their expert to explain why a POSITA would not consider the Provisional to provide written description support again means that the motion should be denied.

not provide written description support, is alone grounds for denial of their motion.

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